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MAYSVILLE, KY., MONDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1896.

ONE CENT.

KIND OLD SANTA CLAUS!

What "The Ledger's" Little Friends Want the Jolly Old Chap to Bring Them Christmas.



HE IS COMING.

HUNTING THE STOCKINGS.

The Ledger has promised to be the mediator between its little friends and Santa Claus; and all communications sent to this office will find their way to the old fellow, and the wants of the little folks will be filled in due time. Some days we may be crowded for space; so do not get impatient if your letter is delayed a day or so, for it will be attended to as soon as possible.—EDITOR.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl 15 years old my next birth day is Dec 1st. I want you to please bring a small piano, a doll with golden curly hair, a small dish pan, a cold tea set, a book of stories, a show bag, a writing desk and candies fruits and oranges.

Your loving little girl
Eva Baldwin.

Marysville Ky. Dec 23 1896
Dear old Santa Claus I want you to bring me a wagon and team of horses and a team of mules and two sets of carts and a new slate and 1 want Novels and a sled and a train and 20 small boxes of candy and a new book and a dime pen box and a new black suit of clothes and a new hat and some peanuts and some peanuts and a little cap pistol. Now I will clothes for this after the holidays. John D. Battman.

Marysville Ky. Dec 23 1896
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy 6 years old you can easily find me by looking at me. I want a toy piano, a new book, a new slate, a new set of cards and a new black suit of clothes. Oranges, Apples, Candy and nuts and a lot of roman candies. I am your little boy. John D. Battman.

Please dont forget my mother.

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If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to this effect.

Miss Mellie K. Boyd goes to Mexico, Mo., to visit Mrs. R. F. Dobyne.

Miss Sallie Wood is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Lyon, at Cincinnati.

Miss Mary Cox leaves today for a month's visit to Miss Boyd and Miss Collins at Covington.

Mrs. Laura Thomas and sister, Miss Lotta of Chicago, are visiting Dr. and Mrs. P. Gordon Smoot.

Mrs. Herbert Hensel of Cincinnati is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Dr. John P. Fletcher.

Mrs. John T. Wilson and Miss Mamie Scott returned yesterday from the city and they are now guests of Banker Joseph F. Perie.

Mr. E. H. Allman of Madison county, Ky., was visiting Mr. and Mrs. George C. Williams and other relatives at this place the past week.

Miss Hattie Dobyns who is attending school at Richmond, and Miss Allie Dobyns, who is attending school at Birmingham, Ala., are at home to spend the holidays.

Captain James H. Hall, Jr., and First Lieutenant Thomas J. Hall, the distinguished Military Academy students, are at spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Hall of West Third street.

If you have an item of news, please call up THE LEDGER, Telephone 55, and send it in.

Gold Pens at McCartery's.

Circuit Court adjourned Saturday.

Ex-City Clerk T. Matt Pearce is seriously ill at his home in the Sixth Ward.

Six pounds Levering's Coffee, this week only, one dollar cash.

R. B. Lovell.

John Connell, for a very drunk, is in jail, because he didn't have enough free-silver to pay his fine.

Don't be fooled by other advertisement, but go to C. D. Russell & Co.'s for your Lamp. No one can touch them in price, style or quality.

Martin Bros. the Confettis will probably occupy the handsome rooms in the Cox Building soon to be vacated by the Adams Express Company.

This is the week you should do your advertising if you want your name in the Holiday Trade. Try a good ad. in THE LEDGER.

It costs \$12,000 a year to light the city of Louisville.

Hankie Day Tuesday at Hocken's; great bargains.

Colored citizens of Frankfort adopted strong resolutions of sympathy for Cuba.

Mrs. Kirby Trimble, nee Matilda Shipp of Winfield, died in Florida after being a bride a week.

The Mayville Assembly will entertain at the Neptune Hall Thursday evening, December 24th.

The American Federation of Labor has decided to remove its headquarters from Indianapolis to Washington.

Charlie Warfield, colored, residing on Lawrence creek, died Friday night of fever and was buried yesterday.

Forty Sheriffs of the state have not settled in full. After the year is over, they must pay a penalty of 6 per cent.

Everybody ought to get a bustle on today if they want to get through with their work—it's the shortest day in the year.

Old Santa Claus, from his headquarters in the Frank Owen Hardware Co.'s window, telephones that it will snow before Christmas.

The L. and N. has issued an order that the firearms on the car must be thoroughly cleaned and inspected before each trip.

The bondsmen of J. H. Hatch, Postmaster's office, have paid up the shortage in his account, amounting to \$1,000.20.

The Adams Express office will move back to its old quarters on Sutton street below Second with the beginning of the New Year.

An Indian man in his application for divorce accuses his wife of taking money away from him and "setting 'em out" in the bars in the saloons.

Colonel George Griffin is a lucky dog. He drew first prize in Grant & Thomas' Shoe Club Saturday night—getting a pair of \$7 shoes for a dollar.

The Covington Stone and Marble Company has just been notified that it has won the contract for the building of the County Courthouse at Detroit, Mich. The price is \$65,000.

The total number cared for at all the Soldiers' Homes, National and State, last year was 40,448, an increase of 2,905 over the previous year. The seven National Homes had about 29,000 members.

In the United States Court at Covington the motion for a new trial in the case of the United States against ex Postmaster Hardeman, for the recovery of \$619,000, was denied and he was found guilty of having been misappropriated, was overruled.

All the counties in Indiana will, through their County Commissioners, make appropriations for cottages at the State Soldiers' Home in Lafayette. Some have already appropriated sums of from \$2,000 to \$5,000 for suitable structures.

Cut glass at McCartery's.

Miss Matilda Davis is suffering a painful attack of rheumatism.

See our Holiday Display; all marked cheap.

Mr. Al McCormick is dangerously ill at his home at Richmond.

See the most wonderful Heating Stove of this age. Justut. At W. F. Power's.

Miss Mabel, daughter of Professor W. T. Berry, is recovering from a severe illness.

A son of Major J. D. Burchett was appointed by Congressman Pugh as a Cadet at West Point.

That the faithful employees of THE LEDGER may enjoy Christmas no paper will be issued Friday.

A pearl-handled knife will be mighty nice for papa. See those at the Frank Owen Hardware Co.'s.

J. W. Shockley of Crala is here today looking after Christmas goods. He knows where the best market is.

The Chesapeake and Ohio has placed an order for six compound locomotives with the Richmond Locomotive Works.

Arthur Platt was arrested in London, Eng., on the charge of murdering Jesus Tyree, an inmate of the Lexington Insane Asylum, in 1885.

A bill-posting machine, which sticks bills on walls, even so high as 50 feet, without the use of a ladder or past pole, is doing successful work on the continent.

J. H. Sallie, E. C. A. H. Thompson, Recorder.

HORRIBLE CUTTING!

It occurred on West Second Street early this morning.

A difficulty that has existed for some time between Hardware Prices and Hard Times terminated this morning in a severe cutting.

The articles used in this cutting and slashing were Pocket Knives, Carving Sets, Brass Fire Sets, Coal Vases—and everything handy in the way of Christmas Presents.

FRANK OWENS HARDWARE CO.

Green R. Keller of The Carlisle Mercury announces that he is not and will not be a candidate for Clerk of the Court of Appeals.

The First National Bank of Hollidayburg, Pa., one of the original fifty-seven National Banks of the United States, suspended business.

The death rate among the convicts in the Alabama State Prison at Birmingham has been running at the rate of 100 to the 1,000 per annum.

The gross earnings of the L. and N. for the second week in December were \$477,700, a decrease of \$3,600 from \$481,300, an increase of \$21,663 over 1894, of \$49,660 over 1893, but a loss of \$39,350 as compared with 1892.

The first shipment over the new Brooklyn and Atlantic Railroad was made yesterday. It consisted of four horseheads of tobacco, which were hauled five miles by wagon to the place where the railroad has been completed to it. It is thought that trains will be running to Brooklyn by January 1st.

After hearing some friends continually praising Chamberlain's Cole, Chelmsford and Dibson Remedy, Curtis Fleck of Anaheim, California, purchased a bottle of it for his own use and is now as enthusiastic over its wonderful work as anyone can be.

The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by J. James Wood, Druggist.

TURPKIE TAXATION.

One Citizen Makes a Good Suggestion Along One Line.

We clip the following from a recent issue of The Bulletin:

TURPKIE TAXATION—A SUGGESTION.

To the Editor of The Bulletin: In view of the existing protest against oppressive taxation in Indiana, I would suggest to the Legislature that the principal turnpike roads leading from the city, lower the rates of toll to a point that will encourage travel and trade. Let the tolls be collected at the gates and, in the same way at the earliest practicable period, extinguish the principle of the toll system. Let the roads be established at such rates of toll as will be sufficient to meet all necessary expenses and keep the roads in proper condition for travel. Let the tolls be so arranged as to be equitable and satisfactory solution of a vexed question? Not only would the burden be less, but the highway would become more popular and more comfortable for travel.

AN CITIZEN.

The suggestion of "A Citizen" is a good one—if the people desire a perpetuation of the toll system in any shape—but this citizen's plan is to purchase all the tolls at an agreed price, issue long low-interest bonds in payment, and give the whole people the roads at the highways at a small cost to all.

EXPERT STUPIDITY.

Criticisms By a Critic Whose Criticism Is Critically Critical.

"The clever" composer of THE LEDGER'S Signal Song, who strenuously objects to blue-black or green, blue-black above, green below, if black beneath—olden's will.

Given away! Given away! Today and Monday we will present to each purchaser of a Lamp 1,000 Matches, enough to light till Christmas, 1897.

Bright Things

for Bright People.

Diamonds, for Instance.

We are showing for the Holida-

days some very beautiful things

in this line,--Diamond Pendants,

Ear Rings, Rings for the fingers

set with many gem combinations,

Solitaire Rings,---all sizes

at astonishingly low prices.

Will you call and see them?

BALLENGER, Jeweler.

Fresh Bulk and Can Oysters received daily at Martin Bros.

Don't fall to see Henry W. Ray's stock of Xmas goods; also a complete line of fancy and toilet articles.

Mr. George C. Williams is said to have the finest crop of tobacco in Mason county, almost ready for the market.

Many of the employes of the Illinois Central Railroad are awaiting the results of the Company's offer to sell them stock on the installment plan.

A bill introduced by Representative Hull of Rhode Island appropriates \$50,000 for the erection of a monumental statue to James O. Blaine in Washington.

A decision of the Missouri Supreme Court in effect declares the laws prohibiting pool rooms unconstitutional, and there will be a general reopening of the houses at St. Louis.

J. P. Nelson of Mt. Sterling is an applicant for the position of Postage Agent of Kentucky. He has been indoctrinated for the place by several G. A. R. Posts. There are about twenty applicants for this position.

The marriage of the oldest couple that ever walked to Hyden's altar in Kentucky is to take place at Whitesburg during the Christmas holidays. The groom is William Sexton, aged 96, and the bride, Rachel Craft, three years his senior. Both of the old people recently lost their partners by death. Mrs. Sexton was 99 at her death.

The Salter & Martin mammoth original Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., at the Opera House on Christmas Day, traveled in their own special train to carry \$1,000 worth of scenery, besides horses, broughams, drays, etc., and a band of 120 men, six-eating bloodhounds, and in order to present a perfect rendering a company of artists of the highest reputation has been selected with the greatest care for their peculiar fitness for the personification of the various characters of the drama, making this by far the best company ever organized, and now traveling, and the only first class Uncle Tom's Cabin Company that will visit here this season.

Delinquent City Taxes.

The delinquent tax list of the city is now in my hands for collection. Those indebted are kindly requested to call and settle, and avoid additional cost or sale of property.

D. P. ORT,
Chief of Police.

BOYS' & YOUTHS' Calf Shoes

HIGH CUT BALS AND BOTTOM...

J. HENRY PECOR.

LOVEL'S

ee Holiday Special.

When other people were talking politics and prophesying that the country was going to war, I was quietly taking in the bargains that were being offered, and as a consequence the late advanced in price of many articles has found my house loaded with

The Largest, Cleanest and Most Complete Stock in my line ever Offered to the People of our City

and vicinity, bought for cash at rock bottom prices. Therefore, I am in condition to offer individuals to a variety with no fear of successful competition. It is impossible for me to do better than to offer the largest and best selection of goods at the lowest possible price.

To say that I cannot be undersold by anyone, and that I allow no one to handle better goods than

DO. To the young folks I give a few pieces:

1 Do best New York Mixed Candy

1 Do best Cincinnati Mixed Candy

1 Do best Home-Made Mixed Candy

1 Do best Pure Stock Candy

And for the boys I have a

SPECIAL FIREWORKS

1 Do Firecrackers

5 Do Small Roman Candies

5 Do Large Roman Candies

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and made known on application at
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Subscribers who fail to get
The Ledger regularly will
confer a favor by reporting
the same at the office.

WE'RE FOR AMERICA! AMERICANS!

A TENANT in Garrard county raised
8,000 pounds of tobacco on four acres,
and he can raise a good deal more than
four acres on 8,000 pounds of tobacco,
even at present low prices.

GOVERNMENT control of railroad and
telegraph lines is urged by the Ameri-
can Federation of Labor. Why not
Government control of the American
Federation of Labor? Have railroad
and telegraph lines shown themselves
less capable of self-government than
the Federation?

THE NATIONAL WOOL GROWERS' ASSOCIA-
TION, in session at Washington, adopted
a resolution calling for an extra session
of Congress for the purpose of putting
a Tariff on wool. Who would have sus-
pected that the men who grow wool had
any knowledge on the subject? All the
Tariff wisdom seems to be confined to
the men who write wooden-headed
editorials for Free-trade newspapers.

At last! At last!

THE AMERICAN CONGRESS has awakened
to the importance of protecting Ameri-
can institutions by shutting out the igno-
rant hordes that have been drifting
into this country by the tens of thousands
annually. The Senate, by the de-
cisive vote of 52 to 10, has passed the
Immigration Bill known as the Lodge
Bill.

As passed the bill amends the immi-
gration laws so as to exclude from ad-
mission to the United States all persons
over 16 years of age who cannot read
and write the language of their native
country or some other language, but an
admissible immigrant over the age of 16
may bring with him, or send for, his
wife or parent or grandparent or minor
child or grandchild, notwithstanding the
inability to read and write.

For the purpose of testing the ability
of the immigrant to read and write as
required by the foregoing section the in-
spection offices shall be furnished with
copies of the Constitution of the United
States printed on numbered uniform
pasteboard slips, each containing five
lines of the Constitution printed in the
various languages of the immigrants in
double small print type. These slips
shall be kept in boxes made for that
purpose, and so constructed as to con-
ceal the slips from view, each box to
contain slips of but one language, and
the immigrant may designate the lan-
guage in which he prefers the test shall
be made.

Each immigrant shall be required to
draw one of these slips from the box
and read, and afterward to write out in
full view of the immigration officers
the five lines printed thereon. Each slip
shall be returned to the box immedi-
ately after the test is finished, and the
contents of the box shall be taken up
by an inspection officer before another
drawing is made. No immigrant fail-
ing to read and write the slip thus
drawn by him shall be admitted; but he
shall be returned to the country whence
he came at the expense of the steam-
ship or railroad company which brought
him, as now provided by law. The in-
spection officers shall keep in each box
at all times a full number of these
printed pasteboard slips, and in the case
of each excluded immigrant shall keep

a certified memorandum of the number
of the slip which the immigrant failed
to read or copy out in writing.

The Cuban section added to the bill
provides that the act shall not apply to
persons arriving in the United States
from any port or place in the island of
Cuba during the continuance of the
present disorders there, provided that
such persons have heretofore been in-
habitants of that island.

The measure now goes into conference,
as the bill passed is a substitute for the
Corrigan-McCall Bill passed by the House.

GOOD BYE, SMITH.

The Committee Will Show That Mc-
Kinley Carried Kentucky.

The managers of the Republican Cam-
paign in Kentucky have com-
pleted all arrangements to contest the
election of W. B. Smith, the one Bryan
Elector who was given his certificate by
the State Canvassing Board.

Notice of contest will be served on Mr.
Smith within a week and the taking of
depositions for the plaintiff will begin as
soon as the notice is served.

The Republican Campaign Committee
claims to have in its possession most com-
plete and startling evidence of fraud
which will show almost beyond a doubt
that McKinley really carried the state by
over 5,000 plurality instead of between
200 and 300.

The Committee claims that at least
5,000 men were allowed to repeat by sim-
ply going from voting places in one pre-
cinct to another in the First Congress-
ional District. Names of hundreds of
men who thus swelled the silver Democ-
ratic majority to nearly 14,000. The
First District are claimed to be in the
possession of the Committee. Fraud of
any less magnitude is charged against
the silver Democrats in the Second, Third,
Fourth, Sixth and Tenth Districts.

The evidence, it is said, will be so
overwhelming that Elector Smith will
never be able to cast his vote for Bryan.

Besides repealing and ballot-box stuff-
ing there are many irregularities charged,
such as failure to properly sign the poll-
books in many precincts and refusal to
count Republican votes legally cast.
The cost of contesting in a case of this
kind is expected to amount to \$4,000 or
\$5,000, as depositions have to be taken in
many counties.

Some idea of the cost of making a
contest in even a Congressional race can
be learned when it is known that the
costs of the contest in the Denny-Owens
case in the Seventh District, two years ago,
were nearly \$4,000. Mr. Denny
was allowed \$2,000 by the House of Rep-
resentatives for his expenses. The other
\$2,000 was paid by Mr. Denny out of his
own pocket. The expenses of Mr.
Owens were somewhat less because he
had fewer depositions to take.

It is probable that Senators William
Greshel of Covington and C. J. Bronston
of Lexington will be two of the Attorneys
for the Silver Democratic Campaign
Committee.

Secretary Carlile has decided to dis-
pense with the services of George R.
Tingle, M. E. Fagon and Thomas W.
Berry, Inspectors of the Salmon Fisheries
of Alaska. Berry is a son of Congress-
man Barry. He and his colleagues were
appointed last March at a salary of \$1,800
and traveling expenses.

Ris Suggestion.

Washington Star.—"William," she said, "you need a new hat."

"Do it!"

"Yes. And a new overcoat."

"I have suspected that."

"And your umbrella is shockingly
shabby."

"I know it."

"What are you going to do about it?"

"I haven't any idea," he responded
gloomily. And then, with the animation
which comes with a happy thought, he
added:

"You might give a..."

Now to Prevent Pneumonia.

At this time of the year a cold is very
easily contracted, and if left to run its
course without the aid of some reliable
cough medicine is liable to bring on a dread
disease, pneumonia. We know of
no better remedy to cure a cough or cold
than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. We
have used it quite extensively and it has
always given us entire satisfaction.—*Open*
(Ind. Ter.) Ogle.

This is the only remedy that is known
to be a certain preventive of pneumonia.
Among the many thousands who have
used it for colds and gripes, we have
never yet learned of a single case having
resulted in pneumonia. Persons who
have wakingsills or have reason to fear an
attack of pneumonia, should keep the
remedy at hand. The 35 and 50 cent sizes
of each excluded immigrant shall keep

for sale by J. James Wood, Druggist.

Deafness Cannot be Cured.

By long and painful trials they can never
reach the disease portion of the ear. There is no
one way to cure Deafness, and that is by con-
stitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by
the accumulation of the secretions of the
Eustachian Tube, and when these are inflamed
they have a rumbling sound or imper-
fect hearing, and when it is entirely closed
Deafness is the result, and unless the in-
flammation is removed, the hearing will
not return to its normal condition, hearing will
be destroyed forever; ears once cut off
cannot be restored to their original condition.

Coldness and presence of mind have
been characteristic of her whenever dan-
ger has threatened her. "Great events,"
she has said, "always make me calm."

Now see the word as it appears in

the New Lancashire if you want to rap a Har-
monium Trade.

The Pastor's Union of this city will
meet on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in
the study of Rev. Mr. Trotter at the First
Baptist Church.

F. J. CHAMBERS & CO., Toledo, O.

— Sold by Druggists, Inc.

VICTORIA'S LIFE IN PERIL.

SEVERAL ATTEMPTS HAVE BEEN
MADE TO KILL HER.

Clemency Granted to One Offender
on the Day Another Made His
Attack—Some Narrow Escapes.

New York Journal.

A singular fact about Queen Victoria is
that she has not only always enjoyed ex-
ceptionally good health and that even at
her present advanced age she is unusually
strong and well, but that she has
had more hairbreadth escapes than any
other sovereign in history. So far as
she can remember, there have been made
on her life, and there have been many occa-
sions when the Queen has seemed to be
face to face with death.

Hyde Park was the scene of the first
attempt on the Queen's life, which was
made by a youth of 17, who, on the 10th
of April, 1840, fired at her Majesty with a
pistol. The Prince Consort, to whom the
Queen had been married a few months
before, happily saw the youth in time to
draw his wife down beside him, so that the
ball passed over her head. The mad
youth was for some time confined in Bed-
lam and was afterward allowed to go to
Australasia.

Only two years passed away before the second
attempt, when, almost on the same spot,
a man named Francis fired at the Queen
as she was again driving with the Prince.
The shot missed and Francis was
sentenced to death for high treason,
the sentence afterward being commuted
to transportation for life by the Queen.

Strangely enough, on the very day her
Majesty's clemency became known, a
bunchback named Bean, a mere youth,
made another attempt to injure the Queen.
He was transported for seven years.

A hickieyer was the next secker after
notoriety. He fired at the Queen as she
drove in her carriage on July 9th, 1840,
but his pistol missed, and he was senten-
ced to seven years' transportation.

Less than a year after this, as her Maj-
esty was returning from a visit to the
deadly of her uncle, the Duke of Cam-
bridge, an ex-Captain of Hussars rushed
forward and struck her on the face with a
small stick. The blow caused a wound,
but the Queen was not seriously hurt.

It was 1872 before another attack was
made. In the early part of that year a
man ran up to the Queen with a pistol
and a petition. He was arrested before
he could fire, however, and was declared
insane. Ten years later a madman
named Robert Maclean aimed a pistol
and shot at the Queen as she entered her
carriage at Windsor Railway Station.

On many other occasions the Queen
has been within an ace of death. When
a child, 6 months old, she was at Sid-
mouth, on the Devonshire Coast, when a
boy shooting sparrows accidentally di-
charged his gun at the window of the
nursery in which the Princess was play-
ing. The shot passed close to the baby's
head, but did not, fortunately, do any
harm.

When Queen Victoria was 4 years old
her life was saved by an Irish soldier who
had been passing by the queen as she
was seated in a carriage. The carriage
was overturned. But for the soldier's intervention,
the carriage would have fallen on the Queen.
Half a century passed away before the soldier knew
whose life he had saved.

A yachting excursion was the occasion
of an alarming accident when the Queen
was a girl of 14. The young Princess
stood on a yacht, watching a storm that
had suddenly arisen, when the topmast
became dangerous. The pilot quickly
conveyed the Princess to a safe place, and
the next minute the mast fell with a
heavy crash on the spot where the royal
passenger had been standing.

Twenty-one years ago, when the Queen
was crowning the Gospert from Osborne,
there was a fatal collision with the royal
yacht, and when the topmast became
dangerous the pilot quickly conveyed
the Queen to a safe place, and the next
minute the mast fell with a heavy crash
on the spot where the royal passenger
had been standing.

On many other occasions the Queen
has been in great danger, such as when,
in August, 1851, her Majesty was in a rail-
way accident, and when, soon after her
accident, the horses attached to her car-
riage bolted. On each of these occasions
the Queen's self-possession has been re-
markable.

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The good times are all the better
for the past depression.

The pent up energies of the people are
finding vent in progressive business.

Folks are buying because they must have
the goods, because they want to buy,
and because they feel justified in incur-
ring expense.

It pays to advertise in dull times
because the advertisement is conspicuous
on account of the absence of others, and one
must advertise in good times whether he
would or not, because he must not be con-
spicuous by his absence.

The best stores are advertising. All
things being equal, the public will buy of
the store that advertises.

It doesn't make any difference what
you think or what I think, but it does
make a difference what the public thinks,
and if it will go to the store that adver-
tises during good times, and if there is
trade waiting, it is obvious that the man
who does not advertise commits business
suicide.

You must do what other people do if
you would do business with the people.
Originality in the new way of doing
what others are doing is profitable, but
there is nothing original refusing to do
what you ought to do. Then your orga-
nization becomes silly, unprofitable, ridi-
culous, and cranky.

Advertise differently than your competi-
tors do, but advertise.

Be brighter than your competitor, if you
can, but advertise.

Employ original methods, if you can,
but advertise.

If you can find any other way of telling
the public that you have something to
sell, find it, and use it! If it is cheaper,
but when you find it you will be as great
a discoverer as the man who analyzes the
composition of electricity and invents a
plan for connecting the center of the
earth's fire with his cooking apparatus.

Everything nice in the Jewelry line at
McCarthy's.

It is said that land in Cuba has been
promised to Americans who enlist against
Spain in the event of the success of the
revolution.

There's lot o'ways provided for taking
people off. Miss Anna Bennett, a dress-
maker at Portsmouth, was struck on the
wrist by a piece of exploding lamp chimey,
an artery cut, and she bled almost to
death before a Doctor came.

POLICE JUDGES.

Court of Appeals Establishes Their
Feet in Felony Cases.

The Court of Appeals, in an opinion delivered by Chief Justice Pryor, decides that for holding Examining Courts in felony cases a Police Judge is entitled to \$2 for each case tried, without regard to the number of cases tried in any one day, and if the Judge presides in a case on more than one day he is entitled to \$1 for each additional day, but his fees cannot exceed \$4 in any one case.

Judges Lewis, Guffy and DuRelle dissent from the opinion.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Something of Interest to the Young
Men of Mayville.



Yesterday afternoon there assembled in the Y. M. C. A. Building the largest crowd of men—both old and young—that has ever attended a Men's Gospel Meeting of this organization, there being fully 140 present. The evening's program was most excellently carried out. Miss Katie Blatner presided at the piano in a charming manner. Mr. J. Frank Ellis rendered a beautiful solo, while the address of Rev. W. O. Cochran pleased everybody. There were several other good talks by the members, and the singing is always of the very best. Every man in the city should turn out to these meetings on Sunday.

The Woman's Committee will meet this afternoon at 8 o'clock in the Association Parlor to arrange for New Year's Day.

Those who desire membership should apply at 8 o'clock to Secretary Canfield and the women, and all those who have not yet had the opportunity to inspect the rooms are cordially invited to do so this week.

DEFIANT.

Prime Minister Canovas del Cas-
tillo Sounds a Warning.

Spain Will Defend its Domains
Against All Foes at All Hazards.

If a Conflict Between Spain and the
United States Comes Casually—Will the
Country be Quite Ready—Will Not
Spain be Led by Force or Threat?

MADRID, Dec. 31.—Minister
Casares del Castillo says in reference
to threats of American intervention in
Cuba: "I desire to say in the strongest
possible manner that Spain is ready to
grant to itself self-government, and that
land of Cuba, which is the Spanish
army has triumphed over the patriot
forces sufficiently to make it clear to
the world that the monarchy is grant-
ing the freedom of its own free will, and
is not yielding either to domestic or to
foreign threats."

"But this government will not yield
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Spain is strong enough to carry on
the campaign in Cuba and Philippines
islands until peace is restored, no mat-
ter how long the struggle may last.

This nation is united, the queen, the
monarch and the people have but
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The Spaniards are convinced of this
and hence they forbear expressing
their deep resentment. Suppressed irri-
tation pervades all classes and par-
ties. The correspondent adds that it
is evident that the Spaniards are not
displaying any animosity against the
United States in Barcelona and Bilbao.

MADRID, Dec. 31.—Senor Canovas
does not think that the Cuban revolution
will end next year, but he does not
believe that the relations between
Spain and the United States more

strained, but need not cause a rupture.
He will never consent to foreign
interference in Cuba, as it is a question of
Spanish domestic policy, and that they want to
see Spain win. The tone of the news-
paper is general, but the moderate
Santanderian, it was Saturday. They
contain little to excite the popular

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KENTUCKY NEWS.

The Latest News From All Parts of the Commonwealth.

JIM STONE

In Danger of Lynching at Mayfield, Ky.—
No Protection.

MAYFIELD, Ky., Dec. 31.—Jim Stone, the
Negro charged with outraging Mrs.
M. M. E. Green, of this city, was
brought to trial yesterday morning and
sentenced to death.

Stone was arrested last Friday and
held over Saturday night.

He was indicted on a charge of
attempting to rape Mrs. Green.

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